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PART IV.

OFFICIAL PAPERS.

Season Report for the Week ending with the 36th Saturday in 1906 (8th September 1906).

	District and Station.	Rainfall up to 8 A.M. on Saturday. This week.		Last ten years' average for the corresponding week.		Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1906. This year.		Average of past ten years.		Excess (+) or defect(—) of column 4 compared with column 5.		Price of food grains in seers per rupee and market fluctuations in prices of food grains.			
1		2		3		4		5		6		7			
		I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.		This week.	Past week.	Past ten years' fortnightly average.
													Seers.	Seers.	Seers.
BANGALORE.	Bangalore C. & M. Station ...	1	57	...	...	16	55	...	...	..	...				
	„ City & Taluk...	...	94	3	2	24	51	20	4	+ 4	47				
	Hoskote ...	...	79	1	75	22	14	17	75	+ 4	39				
	Dodballapur ...	...	54	2	20	20	39	17	53	+ 2	86				
	Nelamangala ...	1	49	2	51	22	22	18	80	+ 3	42	Rice, 2nd sort.	6·75	6·50	9·04
	Kankanhalli ...	..	40	1	96	19	84	17	93	+ 1	91	Ragi	14·00	14·00	20·03
	Magadi ...	2	74	2	90	23	84	18	28	+ 5	56	Kulthi	10·00	9·50	...
	Channapatna ...	..	26	2	79	26	53	18	38	+ 8	15	Kadale	8·50	8·50	9·78
	Anekal ...	1	70	2	24	27	7	21	15	+ 5	92				
	Devanhalli ...	..	81	1	91	18	43	18	21	+ 0	22				
	Closepet ...	..	17	2	45	30	72	18	27	+12	45				
	District average...	...	98	2	37	29	46	23	29	+ 6	17				
KOLAR.	Kolar ...	...	2	1	37	21	72	13	76	+ 7	96				
	Bowringpet ...	...	4	2	20	18	12	15	16	+ 2	96				
	Chintamani ...	...	..	1	1	13	41	12	71	+ 0	70	Rice, 2nd sort.	7·00	7·00	8·95
	Mulbagal ...	...	...	1	56	19	74	16	25	+ 3	49				
	Sidlaghatta ...	...	10	1	34	15	86	15	16	+ 0	70	Ragi	15·00	15·00	20·30
	Chikballapur ...	...	47	1	70	17	49	19	43	— 1	94	Kulthi	11·00	11·50	...
	Bagepalli ...	..	59	1	42	13	65	12	44	1	21	Kadale	9·00	9·00	8·80
	Goribidnur ...	...	...	1	57	16	16	15	13	+ 1	3				
	Malur ...	...	90	1	21	22	83	16	26	6	57				
	Srinivaspur ...	...	57	1	39	20	24	16	77	— 3	47				
	Gudibanda ...	...	5	1	86	21	81	17	36	4	45				
	District average...	..	26	1	51	18	28	15	49	+ 2	79				
TUMKUR.	Tumkur ...	1	26	1	32	25	16	19	64	+ 5	52				
	Maddagiri ...	...	26	2	...	13	50	13	32	+ 0	18				
	Chiknayakanhalli ..	...	42	1	2	22	10	14	33	+ 7	77	Rice, 2nd sort.	8·00	8·00	9·15
	Sira ...	...	6	..	76	18	31	11	58	+ 6	73				
	Gubbi ...	.	30	1	29	17	33	13	73	+ 3	60	Ragi	16·00	16·00	24·60
	Tiptur ...	...	30	1	14	16	57	13	98	+ 2	59	Kulthi.	10·00	10·00	...
	Pavagada ...	..	95	1	65	12	...	10	10	+ 1	90	Kadale	8·00	8·00	9·15
	Kunigal ...	1	21	1	56	29	31	12	92	+16	39				
	Koratagere ...	...	...	..	99	14	93	11	44	3	49				
	Turuvekere ...	...	...	1	24	14	46	12	41	+ 2	5				
	District average...	...	48	1	30	18	37	13	34	+ 5	3				

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1	2		3		4		5		6		7			
	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.		Seers.	Seers.	Seers.
MYSORE. Mysore	...	12	1	34	17	73	14	50	+3	23				
Chamrajnagar	...	19	2	32	20	92	17	54	+3	38				
Seringapatam	...	10	1	75	14	98	12	99	+1	99	Rice, 2nd sort.	7·50	8·00	9·22
Hunsur	...	...	1	23	19	52	17	75	+1	77	Ragi	12·50	12·00	19·65
Yedatore	...	...	1	8	13	29	12	93	+0	36	Kulthi	11·50	11·00	...
Heggaddevankote	...	35	1	48	21	69	28	23	−6	54	Kadale	7·50	9·00	9·84
Gundlupet	...	20	...	77	18	57	13	67	+4	90				
Nanjangud	...	14	...	93	13	27	15	14	−1	87				
T.-Narsipur	...	51	1	42	15	35	15	17	+0	18				
Malvalli	...	...	1	68	20	8	13	68	+6	40				
Mandya	...	...	1	82	18	50	13	19	+5	31				
Krishnarajpete	...	30	1	74	16	70	15	53	+1	17				
Nagamangala	...	71	1	21	19	21	11	66	+7	55				
District average...	...	20	1	44	17	68	15	54	+2	14				
HASSAN. Hassan	...	28	...	95	20	63	21	52	−0	89				
Manjarabad (Saklespur)	1	35	1	54	65	3	77	48	−12	45				
Arkalgud	...	25	...	65	25	2	23	69	+1	33				
Belur	...	29	1	6	22	85	28	89	−6	4	Rice, 2nd sort.	8·00	8·50	9·85
Channarayapatna	...	10	...	84	13	33	13	93	−0	60	Ragi	16·00	15·00	24·28
Arsikere	...	67	...	89	16	14	14	5	+2	9	Kulthi	10·00	10·00	...
Hole-Narsipur	...	...	...	37	19	78	14	57	+5	21	Kadale	7·50	8·00	9·10
Alur	...	59	...	60	31	20	27	87	+3	33				
District average...	...	44	...	86	26	75	27	75	−1	...				
SHIMOGA. Shimoga	...	21	...	56	28	22	26	79	+1	43				
Channagiri	1	...	...	48	21	18	17	82	+3	36	Rice, 2nd sort	8·00	8·00	11·44
Honnali	...	13	...	42	13	98	14	55	−0	57				
Shikarpur	...	16	...	91	19	50	27	37	−7	87	Ragi	15·00	14·00	28·13
Sorab	...	76	1	36	39	52	51	26	−11	74	Kulthi	11·00	11·00	...
Sagar	1	78	1	31	59	44	71	11	−11	67				
Nagar (Kallurkatte)	1	5	1	49	73	99	88	45	−14	46				
Tirthahalli	2	48	2	31	83	35	107	80	−24	45				
Kumsi	...	22	1	14	30	16	32	60	−2	44				
District average...	...	87	1	11	41	4	48	64	−7	60				
KADUR. Chikmagalur	...	24	...	56	25	64	23	51	+2	13				
Kadur	...	32	...	39	15	46	11	98	+3	48	Rice, 2nd sort	7·00	7·50	9·60
Tarikere	...	52	...	71	26	83	27	4	−0	21				
Koppa	2	92	2	9	77	98	113	45	−35	47	Ragi	13·00	12·00	22·90
Mudgere	2	5	1	85	59	20	84	21	−25	1	Kulthi	11·00	1200	...
Yedahalli	1	45	1	50	48	50	55	14	−6	64	Kadale	8·00	8·00	8·70
Sringeri	4	85	3	21	99	17	137	97	−38	80				
District average ...	1	76	1	47	50	39	64	75	−14	36				
CHITALDRUG. Chitaldrug	...	65	...	67	19	61	13	5	+6	56				
Challakere	...	40	...	83	10	22	8	50	+1	72	Rice, 2nd sort	8·00	8·00	10·55
Hiriyur	...	...	...	93	16	57	9	88	+6	69				
Holalkere	...	45	...	50	14	3	13	1	+1	2	Ragi	15·00	15·00	24·40
Davangere	...	60	...	83	15	24	15	78	−0	54	Kulthi	11·00	11·00	...
Molakalmuru	...	75	1	11	14	65	13	83	+0	82	Kadale	8·00	8·00	10·00
Jagalur	...	27	1	27	15	26	11	63	+3	63	Cholum	15·00	15·00	22·60
Hosdurga	...	46	...	53	19	23	10	51	+8	72				
Harihar	...	20	...	57	18	63	12	23	+6	40				
District average...	...	42	...	80	15	94	12	5	+3	89				
Provincial average .	...	68	1	36	27	24	27	61	−0	37				

Note—Rice (husked)—Oryza Sativa.
Ragi—Eleusine Corocana.
Kulthi—(Horse gram) Dolichos Biflorus.
Cholum—Sorghum Vulgare.
Kadale—(Bengal gram) Ciser Arietinum.

DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets how supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. Prospects of season; tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.

11. Public health.

12. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage of fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

	Normal.	*Current.*	
Prices of food grains—Rice	... 10 to 11	6½ to 7	seers per rupee.
Ragi	... 25 to 30	13 to 14	

Agricultural operation—Weeding in ragi fields.

Cattle are in good condition. Water and fodder are sufficient.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Market well supplied.

9. Four acres of land were sown with paddy in the Bangalore Taluk, and about 40,395 acres with kulthi in the Bangalore, Kankanhalli and Dodballapur Taluks. The dry crops are reported to be in good condition. In Bangalore til is reported to have been harvested over an extent of 5 acres. Weeding is continued in Anekal. The outturn of the til crop in Anekal is estimated at 4 annas.

10. Prospects of the season good. Tanks have received a fairly good supply of water. Food stocks are available.

11. Public health generally good. Cholera is reported from two villages of Kankanhalli and from Closepet.

12. Cattle healthy. Water and fodder are available throughout.

KOLAR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. Standing crops are reported to be in good condition. Karthika paddy and kulthi are being sown in almost all the taluks.

10. Prospects of the season good. Food stocks are available.

11. Public health generally good.

12. Cattle healthy. Water, fodder and pasture are available.

TUMKUR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. Nat-ragi in Pavagada; til and cholum in Tiptur and Turuvekere; and sugar-cane in Turuvekere are being harvested. Paddy and kulthi are being sown in many parts. The condition of standing crops is good. Castor crop in parts of Sira and Gubbi is damaged by insects. Weeding is going on.

10. Prospects of the season fair. Food stocks are available. Maddagiri Taluk requires more rain.

11. Public health generally good, excepting for fever in Tiptur and cholera in the Amritur village of Kunigal Taluk.

12. Cattle healthy. Water and fodder available.

MYSORE.

8. Market well supplied.

9. The standing dry and wet crops are reported to be good in all the taluks. Paddy seedlings are being transplanted in parts of Seringapatam, Heggaddevankote, Malvalli and Krishnarajpete. Kulthi in parts of Mysore, Hunsur, Yedatore, Heggaddevankote, Gundlupet and Krishnarajpete; paddy and kulthi in parts of Chamrajnagar; and kulthi, Bengal gram and coriander in parts of Nanjangud are being sown. Gid-ragi, cholum and til in parts of Mysore; ragi and til in parts of Hunsur; til in parts of Heggaddevankote; and cholum in

parts of Gundlupet and Nanjangud are being harvested. The outturn of the ragi crop in parts of Hunsur is estimated at 12 annas and that of cholum in Gundlupet at 8 annas. The castor crop in parts of Chamrajnagar and Nanjangud are reported to have been attacked with insects.

10. Prospects of the season good. Rainfall is sufficient all over the district. Food stocks sufficient.

11. Public health good. Cholera still prevails in parts of Mysore, Chamrajnagar, Seringapatam, Heggaddevankote, Nanjangud, T.-Narsipur and Malvalli.

12. Cattle are healthy. Their condition have much improved by the growth of green grass everywhere. Water and fodder generally available.

HASSAN.

8. Market fairly well supplied.

9. Kulthi is being sown in Hassan. Transplantation of paddy continues in Manjarabad and Alur and harrowing and transplanting of dod-ragi in Channarayapatna. Gid-ragi is ripe for harvest in Hassan and is being harvested in Arkalgud, Belur, Hole-Narsipur and Alur. Gingelly is being harvested in Arkalgud and Hole-Narsipur. The outturn of the latter is estimated at 4 annas. Standing crops are thriving well in all the taluks.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Food stocks are available in moderate quantities.

11. Public health generally good. Small-pox still exists in parts of Manjarabad.

12. Cattle are in fairly good condition. Supply of water and pasture is sufficient.

SHIMOGA.

8. Market well supplied. Prices high.

9. Transplanting of paddy is still going on in Sagar and Nagar and has been completed in Sorab and Tirthahalli. Kulthi in Shimoga and castor and kulthi in Sorab are being sown. Standing crops are in good condition. Arecanut trees are suffering from *kole-roga* in portions of Sorab, Sagar and Tirthahalli. Paddy and sugar-cane in parts of Shikarpur and Sorab require more rain. Baragu is being harvested in Honnali.

10. Prospects of the season fair. Food stocks are somewhat insufficient in parts of Shikarpur, Sorab and Kumsi. Rice continues to be imported from the Madras Presidency into the several parts of the district.

11. Public health is generally good. Cholera prevails in a sporadic form in some parts of Channagiri, Honnali, Tirthahalli, Shikarpur and Kumsi; and small-pox in parts of Shimoga, Sagar and Kumsi.

12. Fodder and pasture are available. Cattle generally healthy.

KADUR.

8. Market fairly well supplied, except in Chikmagalur owing to the prevalence of plague there.

9. Transplanting is still in progress in parts of Yedahalli, Koppa and Mudgere. Ragi and kulthi in parts of Tarikere and kulthi in parts of Kadur are being sown. The standing sugar-cane, paddy and gingelly crops in Chikmagalur; paddy and ragi in Mudgere; paddy, ragi, wheat and sugar-cane in Tarikere; sugar-cane, coffee, arecanut, pepper, cardamom and paddy in Koppa; and ragi, cholum, castor, ballar, black and green grams, paddy and sugar-cane in Kadur are in good condition. Gid-ragi, coriander and garlic in parts of Chikmagalur and gingelly, black and green gram, and coriander in parts of Kadur are being harvested.

10. Prospects of the season good. More rain is needed in parts of Mudgere. Food stocks are available and sufficient for the present.

11. Public health generally good. Small-pox is reported to prevail in parts of Mudgere and Kadur.

12. Cattle generally healthy. Green grass is available. Water available.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Market well supplied.

9. Standing crops are flourishing except in parts of Chitaldrug and Hosdurga where they are reported to have slightly suffered from excess of moisture. Kulthi in Chitaldrug, Hiriyur, Holalkere and Davangere, and ragi and paddy in Molakalmuru were sown. Green gram was harvested in Davangere, the average yield being 8 annas.

10. Prospects of the season favourable. Food stocks available.

11. Public health good.

12. Cattle healthy. Water and fodder are available.

BANGALORE,
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